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SCHOOL FAIR MT. VERNON, OCT. 27

PREMIUM LIST & CONTRIBUTORS

Everyone is coming to the Rural School Fair at Mt. Vernon on Saturday, October 27th.

Music will be furnished by the Sue Bennett Band, of London.

Notice the prize for the School with the largest percentage based on number present and miles traveled.

The library given by the Central School Supply Co., of Louisville, is on display at Sutton & McBee's store.

Be sure and come. Every teacher in the county should bring his or her school. A talk of bananas is given by W. A. McKenzie to the school having the best looking turnout in the parade Friday, Oct. 26th, at 7:30 p.m.

Declamatory contest: first prize \$2.00, by D. H. Lyon; second prize \$1.00, by R. B. McKenzie.

PROGRAM.
Saturday, October 27th.
9:00 a.m. Basket ball game between Sue Bennett, of London and Mt. Vernon High School.

Saturday, Oct. 27th, at 10:00 a.m. Parade, beginning at the Graduated School building, through town to the Fair Grounds.
11:00 a.m. to 12:00 M. Examination of Display work.
1:00 p.m. Athletic Contest.
2:00 p.m. Spelling and Reading.

Contests.

ATHLETIC CONTEST.

Fastest boy runner under ten years of age, 100 yards; prize 50 cents, by Mrs. A. Davis.

Potato Race by boys of the first three grades; prize 50 cents, by Winnie Falin.

Quarter mile race, boy over 14 years of age; prize 50 cents in show tickets, by George Owens.

Longest running jump, boy under 14 years of age; prize 50 cents in show tickets, by George Owens.

Longest running jump, boy over 14 years of age; prize 50 cents, by E. R. Gentry.

Egg race, girls over 13 years of age; prize 50 cents, by Dr. Chesnut.

Three legged race; prize 50 cents, by Mattie Pennington.

MUSIC.

Best song by girl under 12 years of age; prize 50 cents, by Winnie Falin.

COOKING.

Best cake by girl over 12 years old; prize sack flour, by R. E. Cox.

Best cake by girl or boy, any age iced; prize \$1.00, by Clyde Watson.

Best pie, chocolate; prize 50 cents, by Georgia McFerron.

Best pie, any kind but chocolate; prize 50 cents, by Sutton & McBee.

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Wayside Notes

By "J. M."

Dr. Grover C. Price, formerly of Level Green writes that he is located at Judson, Indiana. The county has more mileage of gravel roads than any other in the state. Has been appointed 1st Lieutenant in medical reserve corps, U. S. army.

Miss Ellen Butler, whom many will remember as an efficient Rockcastle teacher is proprietress of a successful hotel, Gray Gables, on the coast of Florida, located at Sea Breeze. She requests that Rockcastle and other friends to visit her while touring the sunny South.

Jim (Zeitz) Reynolds, a citizen of Mt. Vernon many years ago, is hostler at round house for L. & N. at Paris, a position he has held a number of years.

J. Harvey Van Hook, writes: "I see Jack Conn has responded to your call". Jack and I were school mates at old Boone's Fork school house (Brodhead) in the '70's under the tutelage of R. H. Swinney and S. H. Martin. I am located at Burnside, Ky., in general mercantile business and getting along very well for a boy of my age, 62.

Robert (Toosh) Jones who railroaded on lines between Canada, Gulf of Mexico and California, fastened himself down to an engineer's position in New York state and is doing well owning wife, children and three houses.

L. G. Falin, one of Rockcastle's best boys is now third trick man on train dispatcher's force in Union Station, on L. & N. Louisville. Geler complimented the writer some three years ago by naming one of his boys, "Maret". That kid is some high stepper too.

Winchester's lone street car is No. 13. The writer walks. Ask Will Owens.

Successful corn harvesters are being operated in this country. One machine does the work of several men. Cuts the corn and ties it into bundles. Gathers up blown down almost, as well as standing corn.

E. J. Anderson's section at Flannigan is only a few miles south of Winchester. Will Gray, formerly of Livingston, is located in tower at Patio (South Winchester) the junction of Winchester and Irvine railroad. Cleveland Hayes, another Rock castle boy is again at North Winchester, half mile from court house. Russell Proctor is with him as operator. W. R. Mounce, of Livingston is railroad signal lineman.

Nine violent deaths have occurred in this county since June 1st by automobile accidents, falls, drowning and manslaughter one being suicide by drowning.

John Jones, long white telegraph operator on C. V. division is located in South Corbin yards, sending messages by word of mouth on railroad telephones, cultivating a big garden, on his own grounds, looking after his chickens and pigs and has old high cost back into a corner.

Will Gray, operator at Livingston for a long time, has a similar position in the tower at Patio at the junction of Irvine branch in South Winchester. He says he and family are pleased with Winchester.

Ed Jones, who is located on a Canadian railroad will probably change at an early date to a Kentucky road and be nearer home.

T. N. Roberts, once a clerk for J. H. Otter at Mt. Vernon, later in mercantile business at Bar-

bourville and then at Danville, being successful at both places has been living in Somerset for past two years and is sadly afflicted with locomotor ataxia. Another Rockcastle boy writes. Victor H. Brown, son of Jarvis Brown, Level Green, says that after a number of years spent in telegraph and railroad business, he has entered the auditing department of the Sinclair Oil and Gas Co., of Tulsa, Oklahoma. "Wish you would sit down sometime and write me a few lines as I never hear from any of the old boys, but perhaps will get pretty good lines on most of them thru the Signal. There were Lloyd, Minor Fish, Jim Proctor, Joe Newland, the Bryant and Pennington boys, Conn Brown, myself and a number of others, all of us hampered away on the old 'grape vine' telegraph line that reached from Mt. Vernon via David Bryant's, and on beyond Buckeye. This was the starting point for quite a number of telegraph operators who have made good. I sure would love to run into the old bunch once more—Jim Minor and Lloyd have passed over the Great Divide. Give us all you can on this subject. We think it most interesting."

Everett C. Brown of Level Green is ticket agent for C. G. W. Ry, Mason City, Iowa. Jack Brown, from Level Green with the Pennsylvania railroad at Frankfort, Indiana. Some of the farmers and stockmen, over here, have neat signs at their front gate by roadside. This one appealed to the writer. "Locust Grove Farm, Bowyer Brothers, breeders of high grade short horn cattle. Drive in you are always welcome." It occurs to us that anyone owning a place abutting a highway should have the name of the owner posted at the entrance thereof and the name of his farm, if it has one. It would save lots of time especially to travelers and strangers desiring to find some particular place. "Turn to the right at Bill Jones, follow the neighbor road across his farm and you will find Joe Anderson's place about a mile away." Now if Bill Jones has his sign up at his gate all is good and well, f not the traveler may drive by his place or have to make inquiries at every house and every person he should happen to meet. Put up signs.

Typewriters shown on screen in picture shows are usually of the Oliver brand. Automobile licenses issued in Kentucky up to September 21st numbered 44753. It is claimed that Ohio has issued something like 400,000 during 1917.

It will be remembered that following the routing of Laurel end of Dixie-Boone via mouth of Parkers Creek, there is some criticism over it in which the name of the Hon. Nat B. Sewell was mentioned as being the prime mover in this particular routing direction, from ulterior motives. The writer was not one of those critics. It is a great source of satisfaction to know of the big work done by this son of the mountains when mainly thru his efforts \$50,000 of Federal aid was switched to Rockcastle and Laurel for the purpose of finishing the gap in this great highway. This was accomplished even after it had virtually been decided by the Sinking Fund Commissioners to apply the whole Federal aid to the construction of one thru highway across the State of Kentucky. Friend Sewell got busy, and found good mountain friends in the persons of our Governor and Commissioner of Public Roads, and the deed was done. The Dixie-Boone people were not idle. They started out, in a systematic manner, to raise \$50,000 before the subject of Federal aid was broached. That amount is now in sight. Cities, towns, villages and individuals on the Dixie Highway between Mackinaw, at the head of the Lakes to Miami, Florida, at the "end" of Gulf of Mexico, came forward with contributions to the fund. A. F. Sanford, of Knoxville proved a good "man behind the gun". The systematic manner of his work in this undertaking proved a winner. In fact the business was placed in his hands and right well has he discharged the duties appertaining thereto. In addition to his

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Miss Ida May makes semi-annual trips to New York city to make purchases and is successfully filling the position.

That Owens person, the Livingston pencil pusher, came up missing with his report last week. Guess he is getting his second breath to jump on us with all four feet again. "He arter be a bit keef, I've been hearin' things about him recently."

Have they begun putting on metal over Boone Way in Rockcastle? and at what points? What progress is being made? Have surveys been begun up river from Livingston, are questions put to us daily over here. Tell it in the Signal.

LEVEL GREEN

Jack Frost has been a frequent visitor with us this week—Miss Daisy Thomas has returned from a six months stay in Tennessee and Middlesboro Ky.—Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Gentry spent last week with Mrs. J. N. Brown.—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bray and children of Wabash, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thompson.—Mrs. W. E. Anderson was in Somerset one day last week having dental work done.—Howard Brown has returned to Berea after a short visit with homefolks. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Zelma who will enter school there.—Mr. W. F. Debord was in Lincoln county last week taking the two little daughters of the late John Catron to the home of their uncle Rosco Colyer, where they will make their home.—The pie supper given at the school house Tuesday night, proved quite a success. There were twenty five pies which brought \$19.15 it was given to buy more books for the library.—Miss Anna Brown has returned to school at Mt. Vernon.—Mrs. O. J. Mullins and children spent Sunday with her parents at Ocala.—Sheriff Sam Mullins was thru here last Saturday.—Miss Ola Debord was home from Dudley last Saturday.—Mrs. M. E. Burton and little daughter, have returned from a week's stay with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Testerman at Elrod.—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown, of Indiana, have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brown.—C. E. Mullins was thru here last week calling on the merchants.—Little Miss Rissie O'Neil has returned to Lexington Dormitory.—The little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas died Sunday of diphtheria and was buried at Poplar Grove.—Mr. J. L. Hasty has purchased a threshing machine.—We suppose he will be ready to thresh the fall crop of buck wheat for the people.—Mrs. Arch Poynter, of Elrod, spent last Thursday with her sister, Mrs. A. T. Lawrence.

Patience and sit still in the boat. Uncle Sam has a finger in the pie now, looking to the finishing up the gap in Dixie-Boone and that old gentleman insists on having things done his way and won't be hurried in matters. It's going to take time, in making surveys, estimates, etc., to his liking, before a pick or shovel will be allowed to break dirt on this work, but it will be done in due time.

Would be glad for all the Rockcastle boys and girls, who are located in other counties or states to drop us a line, care of 399 Winchester, Ky., giving their occupations etc.

Eight violent deaths have occurred in Clark county since June 1st. Two by drowning, one by falling scaffold, one by knife thrusts and four by automobile accidents.

The Sunday Courier Journal of October 7th will have a number of interesting highway articles, including something of Boone Way.

Hello Joe Oliver left here Saturday afternoon in a tin Lizzie for Berea, his home town. He will travel hereafter in the Henry buzz wagon in visiting his merchant customers.

Among the oil people here from other states we meet several old time telegraph operators who find it much more profitable to follow the oil business than to "pound brass" for a living.

Joe W. Adams, who was born in the house where Gus Stever now lives; is a resident of Lexington. After following the telegraph business for some years entered the mercantile business at Donerail, just out of Lexington where he has done well.

Miss Ida May Adams is a buyer for a Los Angeles, California house, dealers in ladies suits.

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LIMITED TO OCT. 15

L. & N. R. R.

ACCOUNT
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eders Association

Oct 11

ROUND TRIP

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October 7-8-9

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Oct 4



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PERSONAL

Mrs. J. W. Brown will return
from the infirmary today.

Arthur and Will Rice motored
up from Livingston Tuesday.

J. W. Cromer, of the Seagoville
Civic section, is on the sick list.

Anty C. C. Williams is attend-
ing court at Somerset this week.

Mrs. May Underwood, of Cor-
bin, is with relatives here for a
few days visit.

Misses Fan and Martha Sparks
were in home from Louisville
to spend Sunday.

T. J. Pennington and family
have been attending the Jackson
County Fair at Bond this week.

The many friends of J. C.
Moore will be glad to learn he
is gradually regaining his health.

J. Snodgrass of Colorado, is
here visiting relatives and friends
and looking after some business
interests.

Col. John Cole, of Barboursville,
passed in this week en route to
Louisville to attend the Bankers
Convention.

Herbert Cox was in Stanford
Tuesday to see Mrs. Brown and
Sutherland. He has been in bad
health for a few months.

Miss Esther Staverson, who is
teaching the Red Bird school near
town, will give a pie supper at the
school house tomorrow night.

M. C. Williams came over
from Somerset to join his wife
and spend Sunday with his
mother, Mrs. Mary Williams.

Miss Bess Malay, of London,
spent Saturday and Sunday here
with Miss Ethel Azbill. Miss
Azbill returned to London with
her for a day or so.

Miss Sallye Reynolds has re-
signed as teacher in the Master
town school, near Corbin, and
accepted a the place as primary
teacher in the Corbin Graded
school.

Judge and Mrs. L. W. Beth-
urum have been in Somerset
for the past week. Judge is
attending court and Mrs. Beth-
urum is visiting her sister, Mrs.
B. J. Bethurum.

Milton Miller McCoy who has
been in the Army service for
nearly six years has received a
commission as Second Lieutenant
and is now stationed at Ft.
Worden, Washington.

Cashier W. L. Richards was
called to Warsaw Saturday on
account of the sudden death of
his sister-in-law, Mrs. Holt Rich-
ards. He stopped for a day in
Lentzville for the Bankers As-
sociation on his return, where
he was joined by his daughter,
Miss Sadie.

J. McKenzie Brown, son of
Mrs. Cleo Brown, who has been
in the service of the British
Navy for the past four years,
has recently been promoted to
the rank of Captain of the land
forces. McKenzie is making
good as evidenced by the rapid
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Little Anne Lucille Kelly, the
eight months old daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. William Kelly, of Indiana,
died yesterday morning
while visiting its grandparents,
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dooley, of
Conway. The child will be buried
today in the Maret cemetery near
Wildie.

Dr. M. K. Pennington, Dentist
of London will be at the Rock-
castle Hotel, Monday Oct 8th, to
do dental work.

FOR SALE—Two good harness
mares and one good second hand,
rubber tire leather top Bohemian
buggy.

FOR MURKIN

Bixby Bros. have bought the
lot on West Main where Neal
Parrot's shop is located and are
moving their grist mill to it.

S. S. Purcell sold to Walter
Owens 2-5 year old mules for
\$265. Mr. Purcell bought of J.
B. Livesay 6 good 2 year old
steers for 6 cts.

Special Agent Darrell has
been here during the week look-
ing after the boys who failed to
have their state license for dif-
ferent occupations etc. required
by law.

Mrs. Josie Lenahan, mother
of Mrs. J. A. Farley, died sud-
denly at her home in
Livingston Tuesday. Her re-
mains were taken to Stanford
for burial Wednesday.

Censtable Ed Smallwood was
shot and killed by Ovie Harri-
son at East Bernstein yesterday.

There was an old grudge. Har-
rison served a term in the pen-
itentiary for injuries done Smallwood
several years ago.

The tourists are getting thick
again since the roads have dried
up. Autos have been seen here
this week with license tags from
Texas, Alabama, Colorado, Ten-
nessee, California and Ohio. Those
from other states were going to
last to be read.

Word reached here Wednesday
morning announcing the sudden
death of Judge H. Witt at his
home in Livingston Tuesday
evening. Judge Witt has been
in poor health for some time,
but his sudden death came as a
great surprise to all.

There is nothing as safe as U.
S. Bonds and we have a number
of people who can respond to
this call. Remember this money
goes for the support of our boys
at the front, and if you do not
have a boy there your neighbor
does. Buy a Liberty Bond to-
day. You can get them in de-
nominations from \$50 up. To
day is the day to act, not to
morrow.

The Laurel County School Fair,
held at Loudon fair grounds last
Saturday had an attendance of
about 5,000 boys and girls. The
exhibits were superior to those of
the County Fair at London a
month ago. Every school in
Laurel county and all the teachers
were there, and the children stand-
ing single file would reach two
miles. The parents of nearly
every child were there and the
crowd numbered nearly 9,000.

County Agent Sam Morgan and
County Superintendent Feltner
were very active in getting the
School Fair on foot and they de-
serve much credit.

The Rockcastle County School
Fair will be held here Oct. 28th,
and it is hoped every school child
and parents will be here. A com-
plete program will be found in
another column of this issue.

Boys Who Leave For Camp Taylor Today

Buford Lee Meredith
Elmer Ernest Brown

Grover Coffey
Arthur Harris

William F. Robertson

Richard S. Walin

Arthur F. Lovell

John Henry Rowe

Wm. Taubee Blanton

David Carson Craig

Dillard Saylor

Elish A. Cummings

Wm. Harrison White

Thomas F. Hellard

Chester Howard

Fortner Mink

Virgil Lee Carlton

Thurman Richmond

Richard S. Sowder

Lindsay Mobley

George W. Payne

Fred L. Doan

Silas French

Thomas Lawrence

Ves Green Brown

Allen Baker

Orville Lee Mink

Sherman Mink

John L. Wynn

John Franklin Dooley

Lee Chandler

MASS MEETING

A Mass Meeting of the citizens
was called last Saturday night
for the purpose of selecting a
ticket for Town trustees, Police
Judge and Marshall, to be voted
for at the November election
and to be known as the "Citizen
Ticket." Dr. M. Pennington
was elected chairman and Dr.
A. G. Lovell was made secretary.
As the object of the meeting
was well understood, but little
time was spent speech making.
It was a business meeting and
the assembly got down to
business right off the reel.
A committee on resolutions com-
posed of Rev. H. P. Young, T. J.
Nieldy, W. H. Kreig, E. R.
Gentry and E. S. Albright, was
appointed and who offered the
following resolutions which were
adopted. The resolutions are as
follows:

Whence the town of Mt. Ver-
non is facing the brightest out-
look in her history, two great
highways meeting within her
corporate limits, it is imperative
that she has the strongest and best
government that can be obtained.
Her attractiveness, her general
improvement and progress, her
moral uplift, which is conducive
to the development of better
homes, better schools, and bet-
ter churches are all dependent
upon a city government that is
both clean and strong. Be it
therefore resolved: That we, the
citizens and voters, met in mass
convention on this the 29th day
of September, 1917, adopt the
following platform, that the people
may know what to expect from
the ticket nominated by this
convention.

First: We stand for the
enforcement of all laws and ordinances
pertaining to the incorporation.

Second: We stand for a
town that is clean, physically and
morally.

Third: We stand for
the development of the town and
for the promotion of every interest
that shall uplift our people and
give us a better citizenship.

Second: We stand uncondi-
tionally opposed to pool rooms,
gambling rooms, slot machines,
mal-mad stands, houses of
prostitution and other kindred
institutions that tend to demoralize
our boys and girls.

After the adoption of the reso-
lutions the convention proceeded
to nominate a "Citizen Ticket"
as follows:

Police Judge, R. A. Welch;
Marshal, Pleas Debord and for
Trustees, W. M. Poynter, U. G.
Baker; Robt. Cox, L. W. Bethurum
and J. L. Cooper. These
accept the above as their platform
and if elected will stand on
that platform during the term of
their office.

Lexington, Ky.
Oct. 2—1917.

W. L. Richards, Chm.,
Mt. Vernon, Ky.

After an extended personal
conference with Secretary Mc-
Afee in Cleveland yesterday, I
am more than ever convinced
that the Liberty Bond sale, must
be a success. Our country needs
help. Without united assistance
the canvass cannot be a success
one in this district. I earnestly
appeal to you to give every
moment of your time that you
can possibly spare to the sale of
the 4 per cent bonds. No better
evidence of your patriotism could
be shown than an earnest effort
to support our boys at the front.
They are offering their lives for
our country. Surely we can furnish
our portion of the money. If
advertising matter is needed
please wire me and it will be
shipped at once. I am directed
by the Secretary of the Treasury
to make this appeal to each
chairman and I add my personal
appeal.

J. W. STOLL,
District Chairman.

The readers of this paper will
be pleased to learn that there is
at least one dread disease that
science has been able to cure in
all its stages and that is catarrh.
Catarrh being greatly influenced
by constitutional treatment.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken
internally and acts thru the blood
on the mucous surfaces of the
system thereby destroying the
foundation of the disease, giving
the patient strength by building
up the constitution and assisting
nature in doing its work. The
proprietors have so much faith in
the curative powers of Hall's
Catarrh Medicine that they offer
One Hundred Dollars for any case
that it fails to cure. Send for list
of testimonials.

\$100 REWARD, \$100.
Address F. J. CHENEY & CO.,
Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Drug-
gist, 75c.

Teachers Association for Divi-
sion No. 1 Mt. Vernon, Oct. 12,
1917.

The morning session will be
given to the visitation of the
respective rooms at the Graded
School.

The program for the afternoon
is as follows:

County School Supervision

J. O. Scoggan

Arithmetic in the First Four
Grades S. E. Chandler

Means of securing good order

D. H. Lyon

Value of History Jess Fish

Reading in the First Three
Grades Miss Esther Staverson

Leadership of the County

Teacher Miss Tabitha Hiatt.

The Purpose of the Study of
Grammar. How we Speak. How
to Speak. — Miss Winnie Falin

What the Government is doing
for the Conservation of Food.

Miss Mary I. Bradley

Robert McKenzie, Pres.

Myrtle Bryant, Sec.

SOUR STOMACH.

Eat, slowly, masticate your
food thoroughly, abstain from
meat for a few days and in most
cases the sour stomach will dis-
appear. If it does not take one
of Chamberlain's Tablets immedi-
ately after supper. Red meats
are most likely to cause sour
stomach and you may find it
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NOTICE

I HAVE BEEN CALLED FOR
ARMY SERVICE

And Have For Sale Privately

1 pair Mare Mules, 5 & 6 yrs. old,
1 odd Horse Mule, 5 yrs. old,
1 Saddle Mare, 6 yrs. old,
1 2 3-4 Steel Skien Birdsell Wagon
1 Cow Boy Saddle, good as new,
1 set good Wagon Harness.

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PUBLIC SALE

HAVING DECIDED TO GO WEST I WILL ON
Saturday, October 13th, 1917

Offer for sale to the highest bidder the following:
If not sold privately before hand I will offer my farm of 40 acres

One-Half mile N. E. of Conway

Good buildings, well watered and fine orchard. The land will be sold one-half cash, balance 12 months time. On that day I will offer the following personal property:

2 good three-year-old mules, well broke,
1 extra good yearling filly
2 good milch cows, three years old,
1 heifer calf,
3 good hogs, weight about 150 lbs. each,
1 two-horse wagon,
1 buggy,
40 Rhode Island red hens,
30 bushels potatoes,
300 bushels corn,
3,000 pounds pea hay in barn,
1 turning plow,
1 eight disc harrow,
other farm implements too numerous to mention,
My household and kitchen furniture.

TERMS—All under \$10 cash in hand, over \$10 six months time with approved surety and bearing legal interest from date.

Auctioneer
H. C. JONES

J. M. WOOD

SALE STARTS AT 10 A. M.

REAL ESTATE

When you want your property sold see me.

When you want to buy property come round.

I can please you.

Office
ROCKCASTLE HOTEL

J. W. RIDER
Real Estate Agent

FOR SALE—A team of good horses, a team of good mules and two extra good saddle horses.

C. A. DAVIS,
Mt. Vernon, Ky.

FOR SALE—My residence on West Main street, just outside the corporate limits of the town. If sold at once will sell worth the money. Apply to,

GEORGE OWENS,
at Mt. Vernon Monuments
Works.



STYLE

STYLE IS SOMETHING LIKE A SUNBEAM, YOU CAN SEE IT AND IT IS WONDERFUL, but you can't take hold of it. Still it is very real—so real that the average man can no more get along without it than he can three meals a day. Style isn't the foundation of a SWANN, but this element reinforced by fine hat building makes a SWANN by far the most desirous brand of head-gear.

Get under one of the new Fall styles at

J. FISH & SON
THE CASH STORE

MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK
CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

U.S.—Teutonic War News

The government at Washington has advanced \$35,000,000 to Great Britain, bringing the total advanced that country thus far up to \$1,190,000,000, and the total of all credits to the allies up to \$2,426,400,000.

American troops for the first time are under German fire in France. Two American soldiers have been slightly wounded. They were struck by fragments of a bursting shell. A certain contingent of the American army is now located directly behind the British line, well within range of the enemy guns.

"Shoot the traitors in this country!" is the advice of Senator King of Utah.

Secretary Lansing made public at Washington an astounding addition to his series of disclosures covering German intrigues in America and elsewhere—a message sent by Count von Bernstorff in January of this year to the Berlin foreign office requesting authority to pay out \$5,000 to influence congress through an unnamed organization, apparently known to the Berlin authorities. Bernstorff indicated in his message that money had been paid this organization on former occasions to perform the same work.

Germany and Austria-Hungary are both very desirous of peace. This was revealed in their replies to Pope Benedict's plan for peace, copies of which reached Amsterdam. The German note says that the kaiser "cherishes a lively desire that the appeal may meet with success." Peace would come from the recent proposal of Pope Benedict if the belligerent nations would enter into negotiations in the sense of the pontiff's suggestions. Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary says in his reply to the Vatican note,

Domestic

Exposition of Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin from the United States Senate is demanded in a petition addressed to that body by the Minnesota state senate committee. Senator La Follette is accused of making an address of a discreditable nature in course of a Wisconsin league conference.

A proposal of miners of the Central Minnesota coal fields to formulate demands will be thrown in the way of a large part of the nation's coal production. The demands will be submitted to the operators. Unless dispute is adjusted the government may be forced to take control of the nation's fuel supply.

The Standard Oil tank steamer Morris was blown up by an accidental explosion of a boiler. The explosion occurred at Richmond, a port on San Francisco Bay. Two men are missing.

A temporary wage schedule will permit 30,000 ironworkers to work immediately upon ratification of the agreement by the unions concerned pending final adjudication of their differences by the federal board of arbitration, was signed at San Francisco at a conference between representatives of the men, their employers and federal mediators.

A revolution of 2,000,000 miners nation wide in scope, backed by I. W. W. and 48 affiliated organizations, including the Working Class union, in which it was planned to apply the torch to small cities, whose officers of the government and democratic communication was planned for May 27 last, according to the testimony of Will Howey, state witness in the trial at Enid, Okla., of 11 alleged antitrust agitators.

Pursuant to action taken at a mass meeting of workmen, 4,000 men employed in steel shipyards at Portland, Ore., went out on strike. About 3,000 men employed in wooden shipyards already are on strike.

Nearly 20,000 of the leading bankers of the United States gathered in Atlantic City to discuss the tremendous financial problems raised by the war.

Mrs. Julia Mikula, of Hamtramck, Mich., hanged three children and herself in their home.

There is enough food in sight to win the war—enough to feed the world. The biggest crop of food products ever grown in the United States, which means the biggest crop ever grown by any country in the world, is ready for the harvest.

A strike of 10,000 members of the Lake Seamen's union, including sailors, cooks and firemen employed on freight boats plying on the Great Lakes, has been set for October 1, by what appears to be practically a unanimous vote of the men involved.

J. C. McCRARY

UNDERTAKER and EMBALMER
STANFORD, KY.

Fifteen workmen were injured when two interurban cars collided in a fog one mile from the government cantonment at Camp Custer, Mich.

Sporting

The White Sox won the American league pennant by beating the Boston Red Sox, 2 to 1, in a ten-inning game at Boston.

European War News

Advice has been received at Amsterdam from the frontier by the Telegraph to the effect that about 30 residents of Ghent, Belgium, have been put to death in the last three weeks on charges of espionage.

A squadron of German airplanes swept over the French trenches. Capt. Georges Guynemer was officially reported as "killed in action" and all France mourns the loss of its idol, the hero of France. He brought down 52 airplanes.

The war office at Paris announced that German airplanes bombarded the camp of German prisoners near Bapaume, and two prisoners were killed.

General Cadorna's forces made progress during the night at several points in the Julian battle front, says a dispatch from Rome.

A British destroyer has been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine in the approaches of the channel, according to an authority unnameable at London. There were fifty survivors.

After a battle on the Riga front British forces pushed forward in the region of the village of Rieden and pressed back the German advanced guards. It was officially announced by the Petrograd war department.

Foreign

The Uruguayan congress at Montevideo has been called to meet in special session to vote on the question of severing relations with Germany.

By a vote of 53 to 18 the Argentine chamber of deputies voted to support a break in relations with Germany. The vote was on a motion "to proceed to break relations with Germany."

Captain Laurent of the Italian army, accompanied by an observer, made a non-stop airpline flight from Trieste, Italy, to London. He covered the 636 miles in seven hours and twelve minutes.

The Costa Rica government at San Jose by official account severed diplomatic relations with Germany. Passports were handed to the diplomatic representatives of Germany. Costa Rica consuls in Germany were recalled. The break was due to the discovery by President Banco that Germans had joined with the followers of General Gómez in conspiring against the government.

Just as the Argentine chamber of deputies was preparing to vote on breaking diplomatic relations with Germany, an official communication was received from the Berlin foreign office. The German note gave satisfaction to Argentina.

General Alexeiff has resigned his post as chief of the general staff under Premier Kerensky, the commander in chief of the Russian armies, according to newspaper reports from Petrograd.

The king of Bavaria has sent pearls to the value of \$125,000 to neutral countries for safe keeping, according to the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger.

Washington

Four more militant suffragist pickets were sent down to Occoquan to "serve time" for the cause. They were convicted of "entrying the banner" in front of the White House at Washington.

The senate passed the \$8,000,000,000 urgent deficiency bill without a roll call at Washington. The house granted the army \$3,500,726,725, and the senate added \$730,247,294. The navy was given \$673,019,025 by the house and the senate added \$24,648,500, a total of \$8,007,000,229.

Creation of a house committee on woman suffrage was ordered by the house at Washington by a vote of 187 to 107.

The house at Washington had a wild and noisy session over the disclosure that Count Bernstorff, while German ambassador here, asked his government to authorize the expenditure of \$50,000 to influence congress. Representative Norton attacked Representative Heflin, who was quoted in a newspaper as saying he could name a dozen congressmen who "had been acting suspiciously." Heflin denied that the interview attributed to him was correct.

The death warrant of sedition newspaper was signed at Washington. The house finally passed the trading-with-the-enemy act, giving Postmaster General Burleson almost unlimited powers for the suppression of treasonable publications.

After brief debate the senate at Washington adopted the conference report on the trading-with-the-enemy bill, with only six negative votes. The house is expected to accept the report and send the measure to the president for his signature.

GREAT FAITH IN CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY.

"Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy" was used by my father about a year ago when he had diarrhoea. It relieved him immediately and by taking three doses he was absolutely cured. He has great faith in this remedy," writes Mrs. W. M. Williams, Stanley, N. Y.

A Square Deal

They always expected to be a square deal. We are now in a position to do so. We sell for carpenters. And the tools we sell are on the square, accurate, strong and made out of the best materials. All trades supplied with all necessary tools. Also, we carry general hardware lines of the best qualities at the most reasonable prices.

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